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The Trials and Tribulations of "Charlie"

Mattapoisett Cartoonist Pokes Fun At Life

A demure little man with glasses stands at the entrance to heaven looking up at a long-haired, bearded angel who is writing in a large book. The caption below reads: "You too? You swallowed all that stuff that you can't take it with you? Too bad, we pay 35 percent compound interest up here."

Such is life for "Charlie," the main character in a very amusing slice-of-life cartoon created by

Mattapoisett cartoonist Charlie Rodrigues.

Culling the ideas for his innovative, singlepanel cartoon from his own stark observances and sometimes dark sense of humor, Mr. Rodrigues is quick to point out that although there is an uncanny resemblance between himself and his illustrated anti-hero, the assumption that the two are one and the same is far from accurate.

"'Charlie' is sort of an emulation of myself ... but he's not really my alter ego," Mr. Rodrigues said during a recent interview. "My wife came up with the idea to do a single panel cartoon about a guy named Charlie, and I took it from there."

Now in its fifteenth year as a mainstay offering from Tribune Media Services, "Charlie" is a caricature of everyman — with more than a little touch of the daily irony which affects us all. In a promotional press release, "Charlie" is likened to the guy who always has no opinion when a pollster comes to call; the guy who asks for a raise on the day his firm files for bankruptcy; the guy who would be just another face in the crowd except that he's so short you can't see him.

In short (no pun intended), "Charlie" is a lovable klutz whose struggle to get through his day

makes it easier for us to get through ours.

Having sustained a successful cartooning career since the 1950's, it would seem that life for Charlie Rodrigues has drawn some interesting parallels to his longtime creation. After getting out of the service during World War II, Mr. Rodrigues initially favored a career in writing, but found that it wasn't getting him anywhere. A chance opportunity in *Writer's Digest* magazine then set him on the path to success.

"I saw a report that Country Gentleman magazine was paying \$40 for cartoons," he said. "At that time, that was pretty good money. That's really how I started."

With no real background or experience in art, Mr. Rodrigues then enrolled in some correspondence cartoon courses and later entered the Swain School of Design in his native New Bedford. Shortly thereafter, he attended the Cartoonists and

Illustrators School in New York and was satisfied he had found his niche.

After a short stint doing spot cartoons for various publications, he was approached to do a cartoon strip for a syndicate. "A fellow called me and said he wanted me to do something for him," he said. "He wasn't a cartoonist or a writer, but he would come up with concepts for a cartoon strip and he would approach artists ... and act like an agent to present the strip to a syndicate. He was very clever."

That initial collaboration yielded Mr.
Rodrigues' first — yet unsuccessful — attempt at a cartoon strip: a detective vehicle called "Legs."

"'Legs' was modeled after Legs Diamond," he said. "But the strip didn't materialize. The syndicate was afraid of the criminal connotations. The gags were good, but it just never took off."

Working with the same agent/collaborator, Mr. Rodrigues' next strip — which featured a bumbling cop character named "Casey" — hit pay dirt and managed to be picked up by several big newspapers including The New York News, The Washington Post, The Chicago Tribune, and The Philadelphia Inquirer. But for one reason or another, the strip lasted only about a year in syndication.

"There was some great stuff I did in 'Casey,' but in life and the creative world that doesn't always cut the ice," he said. "It failed for some unknown reason. There's really no answer to what makes a successful cartoon."

While picking up other impressive assignments with various magazines over the years — among them: Stereo Review, National Lampoon, and Playboy — Mr. Rodrigues gravitated from the more

On the cover: A recent installment of "Charlie," a creation of Mattapoisett cartoonist Charlie Rodrigues. The Wanderer will feature this one-panel cartoon every week beginning with this issue. (©1994 Tribune Media Services, Inc. and used with the kind permission of Charlie Rodrigues.)

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commercial and easier format of a cartoon strip to the one-shot, single-panel structure which made "Charlie" a hit.

"It's actually more difficult to do a one panel cartoon," he said. "Because you've got to put the entire set up and punch line in one frame. You've got to work like crazy with the captions to condense them and you've got to learn to edit yourself."

Noting that it's traditionally easier to sell cartoon "strips" to newspapers, recent successes like Gary Larson ("The Far Side") have really broken ground in the cartoon field.

Having been known for many years as someone with an eccentric and dark sense of humor, Mr. Rodrigues admitted that "Charlie" is rather mainstream and tame compared to his other work much of which focused on rather morbid gags.

"I've always favored black humor," he said. "But now I'm starting to get away from it, because it doesn't always sit well with people. I've always been known for black humor ... and it comes easy to me. But you have to know when to stop."

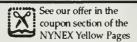
Some of his now-notorious past work is even included in book form — an anthology called Spitting on the Sheriff, which has since gone out of print, and a compilation of his National Lampoon cartoons which was published in France as Les Handicapes Font Rire.

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"Spitting on the Sheriff has become something f a collector's item," he said. "I still get calls asking or copies, but I only have one for myself."

And despite Mr. Rodrigues' avid interest in olitics and his obsession with the news, he has existed the temptation to espouse these views in his ork. "I've never really gotten into editorial artoons," he said. "I sometimes put some political news into 'Charlie,' but I've never gotten truly atrageous with it."

Now enjoying a comfortable and quiet life ith his wife, Lorraine, in Mattapoisett — a place e's called home for the last 23 years — Charlie odrigues offers a choice nugget for those interested



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in a career as a cartoonist: "Do what you observe."

"Most cartoonists steal each others' style," he said. "Michael Caine once said: 'If you see something you like, steal it.' That's how it is with cartooning. You borrow someone else's style and then you learn to develop your own."

Starting with this issue, The Wanderer will proudly feature "Charlie" by Mattapoisett's own

Charlie Rodrigues on a weekly basis.

Mattapoisett Selectmen's Meeting April 26. 1994

By Bethany Morgan

A regular meeting of the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen was called to order on Tuesday, April 26 at 7:10 pm by Selectman Daniel O. Mahoney. Also present were Selectman Paul E. Lambalot and Executive Secretary Carol J. Adams. Selectmen Chairman John N. DeCosta was not present for the meeting.

The board first voted Selectman Mahoney as Acting Chairman and then approved the minutes for the April 19 and

April 21 meetings of the board.

The board next signed renewals for billiard pool tables and bowling alley licenses for the 1994 year.

Meetings scheduled throughout the week included:

- Thursday, April 28 2:00 to 4:00 pm: Open House at the Rochester Post Office.
 - Thursday, April 28 4:00 pm: Board of Selectmen



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will meet with the Finance Committee to discuss the budget and the Annual Town Meeting warrant.

• Thursday, May 5 — 1:00 pm: ORR Junior High DARE Graduation Ceremony. Selectman Mahoney will be attending.

The board received a copy of Mattapoisett's Sanitary Landfill Comprehensive Site Assessment from Tighe & Bond. Sites located at 54 and 56 Ocean Drive have been considered a priorities, 55 County Road has been considered non-priority, and 37 County Road has been waived.

Correspondence was received form Mr. Marc Sequin expressing his feelings with regard to a recent decision by the Board of Appeals to maintain a business permit for Uncle John's Java House located on North Street. Mr. Sequin has asked the board to look into the matter as he is opposed to the location of the business.

The board agreed to request a copy of the decision and said they would look further into this matter. Selectman Mahoney, because of the attention this issue has gotten, was reminded of when the Brandt Island Marina was applying for its permit and most residents were "only half left satisfied."

At 7:30 pm, the board held an Open Hearing regarding the installation of an underground ComElectric pole on Crooks Way which will service Mattapoisett's Water Well. No abutters were present. The board then voted to allow ComElectric to install said pole.

At 7:45 pm the board met with members of the Mattapoisett School Committee and the Finance Committee to

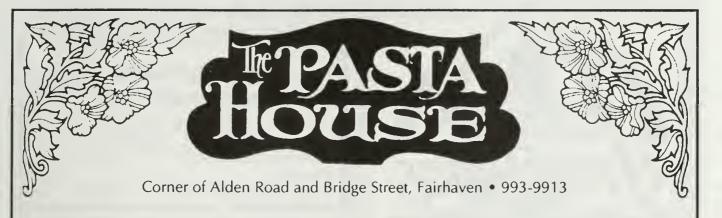
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Selectman Mahoney inquired about requesting waivers as Marion, Mattapoisett, and Rochester did last year for ORR High School and ORR Junior High School. Peter Hodges of the School Committee commented that waivers for this year were not being accepted from the state and neither were additional funding requests to meet the new standards.

Mr. Lynch said the committee contemplated not accepting any financial support from the state, thereby dissolving any obligation under the Education Reform Bill. Mr. Lynch also said that in doing so, the Department of Revenue would respond by not certifying the town's tax rate — thereby crippling the town financially.

The only available option, according to Mr. Lynch and Mr. Hodges, is to approach the Department of Education and the Department of Revenue in full force. First, by meeting with the Department of Education and members of the Board of Selectmen, the School Committee, and the Finance Committee to express the problems the town is facing in relation to the reform bill.

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Mr. Hodges would like to confront the Education Department and relay the message that "we're doing the job down here without any extra money."

Selectman Mahoney and Selectman Lambalot, along with the Finance Committee, expressed their support and will do their best to attend. The meeting is planned for next week. The committee will also seek the support of local legislators and representatives in this effort.

In addition, the committee will distribute letters to key personnel in the Department of Revenue and the Board of Education stating the town's position and expressing its desires. Mr. Lynch, along with support from the Board of Selectmen, Finance Committee and School Department, will be attending a "Meet the Legislature" gathering on May 5 to





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address these concerns. The School Committee left with the full support of the Board of Selectmen and the Finance Committee.

Executive Secretary Carol Adams reported that the Finance Committee and the Board of Appeals is in need of members. Anyone interested should contact Ms. Adams at the Town Hall.

Ms. Adams also reported that Selectman John DeCosta, Chief Procurement Officer, has awarded the contract for ambulance billing to COMSTAR at a cost to the town of 10 percent of the total amount collected. She also noted that minor activity will being on North Street within the week. Tibbetts Engineering will be conducting basic field research for the pending project.

There being no further business to come before the board, a motion to adjourn was made and approved at 8:45 pm.

Marion Annual Town Meeting April 25-26, 1994

About 180 voters gathered in the auditorium of Sippican School on Monday, April 25, 1994 for the first night of Marion's Annual Town Meeting. Town Moderator David B. Titus called the meeting to order at 6:52 pm seeing as they had reached a quorum, after which residents rose for the National Anthem and an invocation from Rev. Timothy Goldrick of St. Rita's Church.

Mr. Titus introduced ARTICLE 1, which would appropriate the following compensation amounts for elected town officials: Board of Selectmen (\$3,800 each member annually); Board of Assessors (\$3,750 each member annually); Board of Health (\$770 each member annually); Town Clerk (\$11,442 per year); Town Treasurer (\$17,163 per year); Tax Collector (\$17,163 per year); Town Moderator (\$178 for Annual

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Town Meeting and \$60 for Special Town Meeting). The article was passed via unanimous vote of Town Meeting floor.

FinCom member Carol Garey then introduced ARTICLE 2, which would raise and appropriate a total of \$8,075,647 to pay charges, expenses and outlays for several Town Departments, and for a Reserve Fund for the ensuing year. After reading each line item, voters were asked to note which ones they would like to "hold" for further discussion.

Several residents questioned the 33.36 percent increase in the town's contribution to the Upper Cape Cod Regional District, which FinCom members could only explain by stressing it was mandated under the Education Reform Act of 1993. "We'll only be sending nine students to Upper Cape Cod next year," said Ms. Garey. "But our contribution has been increased to \$72,290 ... that's almost \$9,000 per student."

Mr. Ribeiro echoed her sentiments, noting that the Education Reform Act had created "a very uneven playing field" in terms of local contribution amounts. "Our contribution used to be based on the actual number of students enrolled," he said. "Now it's based on each town's 'ability to pay.""

After further questions and clarifications were made on line items 123 (Executive Secretary's salary), 155 (Computer maintenance and supplies), 301 (ORR Capital Repairs), 420 (Public Works), and 420 (Road and Sidewalk Repair), voters approved Article 2 via unanimous vote of Town Meeting floor.

During a short break in the agenda, several awards were given to Marion residents who have given of themselves to the town over the years. The Finance Committee gave an award to former member John Farnham. Selectman Albert E. Winters gave an award to Dr. Davis T. Gallison for his past service to the town. Selectman Loretta B. Schaefer presented an award to former School Committee Chairman James M. Cain. And Selectmen Chairman James Dougall gave an award to



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Continuing with the warrant, Town Meeting voters unanimously approved ARTICLE 3, a \$35,000 appropriation to fund and maintain current services at Sippican School. School Committee Chairperson Diane Bondi-Pickles noted that these expenditures had fallen outside the scope of the FinCom's recommended 3.5 percent increase this year. Resident Joseph Zora said he supported the article, but felt that mandatory educational programs did not belong on an override.

ARTICLE 4 was passed via majority vote of Town Meeting floor, appropriating the sum of \$10,000 for police overtime subject to the approval of an override ballot question. "This was part of a change where full-time officers are



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required to work overtime formerly covered by Special Police Officers," Police Chief Brian J. Scott said. "I think it's something these officers have earned and something they deserve." But resident Joseph Zora questioned the chief's ability to find the \$10,000 within his total \$650,234 budget.

After debating the closest vote of the night for some time, voters finally approved ARTICLE 5 with a vote of 145 to 28. The bonding article — which required a 2/3 majority vote to pass — allocates \$50,000 to the Department of Public Works to develop a water distribution system computer model. The program and package would cost an estimated \$5,000, and the remainder of the money would be used to customize the model to the Marion system.

Joseph Zora — who prefaced his comments by noting that someone had to take the late Abel Rodrigues place at Town Meeting — asked what the balance was in the Water/ Sewer account. When he was told there was over \$700,000 available in the account, he questioned why residents' water rates hadn't gone down. "How can we sit here with over \$700,000 in that account when we can't afford to buy books and supplies for our schools?" he asked. But Mr. Zora was informed that the money was used to maintain and upgrade the wells and water system throughout town.

Likewise, voters unanimously approved a bonding issue to appropriate \$150,000 for the Department of Public Works to provide engineering services in connection with the



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proposed expansion of the town's wastewater treatment plant under ARTICLE 6.

Another unanimous vote under ARTICLE 7 approved the sum of \$20,000 to be used by Sippican School to provide a smoke, fire and security alarm system for the facility, subject to voters' approval of an override question on the April 29 ballot. School Committee member James Cain noted that the present system in the school was installed in 1937 and was modified in 1972. However, no other upgrades have been done since. In particular, the school needs an enunciator device to let fire officials know the exact location of the problem.

ARTICLE 8, which would raise and appropriate \$15,000 to be used by the Marion School Committee to provide a handicapped and space utilization plan for Sippican School, was also passed via unanimous vote of Town Meeting floor. The study will look at ways of making the school handicapped accessible and also would provide a space utilization study for its ever-growing student body. "We've projected that the school will have 507 students by the year 1998," noted School Committee member Susan Grosart.

Another unanimous vote of approval was given to ARTICLE 9, appropriating the sum of \$24,000 to be used by the Department of Public Works to purchase a 4x4 pickup truck for use by their utility division (water division). Likewise, the DPW was given nearly unanimous support (183) in favor, 1 against) in their purchase of a \$23,000 jet rodder to be used to clean and maintain the town's sewer system under ARTICLE 10. "We have over 11 miles of sewer line in town which needs to be maintained on a regular basis," noted DPW Superintendent Rob Zora. "This equipment is something we need and something that will last for the next 20 years."

Although there was some dissention as to the reasons for moving it in the first place, voters also unanimously

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approved \$15,500 to provide a new basketball facility at Silvershell Beach under ARTICLE 11. The current facility is being removed to create a retention pond for the Sprague's Cove Remediation Project and the new basketball facility will be built across the street under the direction of the Recreation Committee. "I think it's important to let our kids know that we care about them and have a vested interest in them," said resident John Henry in supporting the article.

A majority vote carried ARTICLE 12, which appropriated \$5,200 to provide funds for a regional Conservation Agent. Conservation Commission Chairman Dennis Luttrell explained that this money would provide a continuance of the salary allotted for the position under a grant awarded last year to Rochester and Marion.



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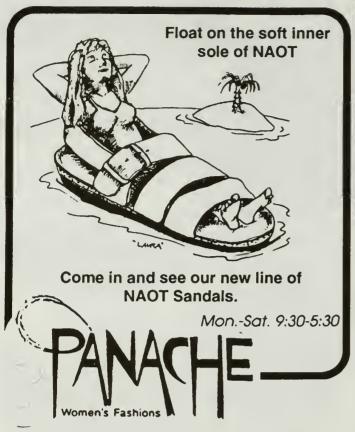
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Voters unanimously approved ARTICLE 13, which appropriated \$14,000 to revegetate a portion of the Planting Island causeway and to resurface the causeway road. Some \$4,000 will be used to plant rosa rugosa along the causeway and another \$10,000 will be used to surface the road with a chip seal. Since heavy damage was incurred during Hurricane Bob, the causeway has been in dire need of repair. "The town has been sending load after load to fill cracks and potholes in the road," said Harriet Mason of West Avenue. "I feel like if we have another major storm, we'll have to build a bridge."

Voters readily approved ARTICLE 14 via majority vote, appropriating \$20,000 to be used by the Elizabeth Taber Library to provide a climate control system so that further damage could not be incurred to the library's book collection.

Likewise passed with a unanimous vote was ARTICLE 15 — allocating \$600 to fund the Buzzards Bay Action Committee in their ongoing grant writing efforts — and ARTICLE 16 — which appropriated \$14,156 for the Marine Resources Commission to hire a full-time Shellfish Officer to take over from Harbormaster George Jennings. "We need to do more in terms of shellfish propogation," said Marine Resources Commission Chairman Jim Feeney. "But one man can't do it alone and George Jennings is certainly busy enough as it is."

The second night of the Annual Town Meeting was called to order on Tuesday, April 26 at 7:00 pm by Mr. Titus, having noted the presence of a quorum (some 110 voters). The Special Town Meeting articles within the Annual Town





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Meeting warrant were up first for consideration.

Selectmen Chairman Dougall introduced ARTICLE S1, to appropriate the sum of \$300,000 to be used by the Department of Public Works to complete the rehabilitation of the water system at the Mary's Pond station. Passage of the article would incur no increase in the town's water rates. The article was passed via unanimous vote.

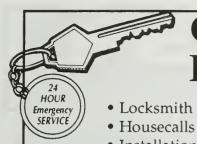
Selectman Schaefer next introduced ARTICLE S2 to transfer from Free Cash the sum of \$40,000 to the DPW budget, to cover the additional cost of this winter's snow removal. Having originally appropriated \$15,000 for this purpose under the last Annual Town Meeting, this past winter's harsh weather cost the DPW \$55,000 in total snow removal costs. The article was passed via unanimous vote.

Selectman Winters cited ARTICLE S3 to transfer from Free Cash the sum of \$35,000 to be used by Sippican School to cover the additional cost of Project GROW and special needs programs. The appropriation was carried unanimously.

Chairman Dougall noted ARTICLE S4, to transfer \$23,076.22, the balance in the account as voted on April 24, 1989 under Article 5, and the amount of \$3,500, the balance in the account as voted under Article 6 of the Special Town Meeting held April 28, 1992 to Sippican School for repairs to the facility. "We'll be using the balances in two separate accounts to pay for the proposed repairs at Sippican School," said School Committee Chairperson Diane Bondi-Pickles. "Our first priority will be the replacement of the public address

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The article was passed with a unanimous vote of Town Meeting floor.

Resuming with the Annual Town Meeting warrant, Mr. Titus introduced ARTICLE 17, to transfer \$8,800 from the waterways account for harbor engineering. "Our mooring field is in desperate need of work," Harbormaster George Jennings said. "Very little has been done to plan our mooring field. Some boats have adequate space for scope ... others are too close together." The appropriation would provide for a bathometric survey, which would entail composing a map of the harbor and the equivalent of a topographical map showing lines of depth. The article was passed via unanimous vote.

Voters also unanimously approved ARTICLE 18 which transferred \$10,000 from Free Cash to be used towards state aid construction and improvements in conjunction with state aid funds — and ARTICLE 19, which transferred \$6,000 from the Chester A. Vose fund to be used by the Assessors to reduce the tax rate.

A transfer of \$251,221 from Free Cash was also unanimously approved to be applied toward the reduction of the tax rate under ARTICLE 20, and voters also unanimously authorized the Board of Selectmen to file special legislation to allow Jimmy's Variety (the town's sole seasonal Retail Package Goods Store) to be granted a year-round permit under ARTICLE 21.

Overwhelming support was given to ARTICLE 22 to create a local education and scholarship fund under the Education Reform Act of 1993. "The fund would come from volunteer donations only," noted School Committee member Susan Grosart, "and would be fully tax deductible for income tax purposes."

Selectman Winters cited ARTICLE 23 to amend Article IV of the Town By-Laws concerning the distribution of Town

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David K. Pierce of the Planning Board briefly cited and explained ARTICLE 24, to amend the Zoning By-Laws, Article X, Section 2.1 as printed in the warrant. Mr. Pierce noted this was essentially a bookkeeping article to bring the town in line with State Zoning Laws; it was carried unanimously.

Planning Board member Robert Marso reviewed ARTICLE 25, to amend the Zoning By-Laws, Article X, Section 5.2.a, as printed in Town Meeting warrant. "What we'd like to do is amend that section, slightly, to enhance the workings of the by-law," he said.

After further discussion, a motion was made and carried (84 in favor, 24 against) to amend the article by deleting the closing paragraph and numbered sections 2 and 3 (which set the maximum height of any structure at 27 feet). With these changes in place, voters approved the article via majority vote (96 in favor, 10 against).

Mr. Pierce then moved that ARTICLE 26 be postponed indefinitely, which voters unanimously approved.

Two more Planning Board articles proposing changes in the Zoning By-Laws — ARTICLE 27 (regarding public hearings) and ARTICLE 28 (governing cluster residential) — were then unanimously approved.

ARTICLE 29, however, gave much cause for concern, as many residents saw the proposed changes as encroachments on their rights to sell and build on small, privately-owned pieces of property. Planning Board member Jay Crowley



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Town Meeting voters also unanimously approved the

remaining articles on the warrant:

• ARTICLE 30 — To accept a gift of approximately five acres of salt marsh from the Twomey family, Mary E. Twomey, Trustee.

• ARTICLE 31 — To accept Brook Haven Lane as a public way.

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• ARTICLE 32 — To accept Ichabod Lane as a public

• ARTICLE 33 — To accept Parkway Lane as a public

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way.

• ARTICLE 34 — To accept the action of the Upper Cape Cod Regional Vocational-Technical School District in accepting the provisions to increase per-pupil expenditures in districts where costs are below 85 percent of the state average.

• ARTICLE 35 — To authorize the Board of Selectmen to make application on behalf of the Town to the appropriate agency of the Federal or State government for grants in aid or other funds.

• ARTICLE 36 — To authorize the Board of Selectmen to institute, defend or compromise suits of law.

• ARTICLE 37 — To authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell any article belonging to the Town, provided the Town



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• ARTICLE 38 — To authorize the Board of Selectmen to sell any taxation possession property held by the Town after the Board of Selectmen has notified the Planning Board and Conservation Commission of the availability of such land.

• ARTICLE 39 — To choose by ballot all necessary officers for the ensuing year and to act on ten ballot questions on Friday, April 29 beginning at 8:00 am in the Sippican School

Gymnasium.

With that, the Annual Town Meeting was adjourned for the evening at 10:05 pm. Several residents noted a single bouquet of lilies which someone had placed on an aisle seat some five rows back from the stage. Just above the quiet shuffling of feet leaving the auditorium, you could almost hear an echo of the words "Go for it!"



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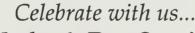
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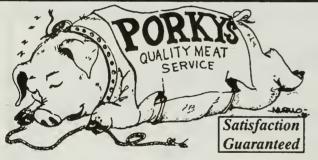
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By Bethany Morgan

A regular meeting of the Rochester Board of Selectmen was called to order on Monday, April 25 at 7:00 pm by Chairman David L. Hughes. Also present were Selectman Lorraine Roy Hawkes, Selectman Michael Murphy and Administrative Secretary Shirley A. Ferreira.

Following the approval of the minutes for the April 19 meeting, the board agreed to postpone the Public Hearing which had been scheduled regarding the trees on Mendell Road until May 1. The hearing was postponed as representatives from Continental Cablevision, New England Telephone and Com/Electric did not attend.

The accounting firm of Rodrigues, Guckin & Tobojka, P.C. next submitted a letter regarding a proposal for the performance of an operational review of the current financial system now used in the Town of Rochester. The firm proposed to review the general accounting procedures and internal accounting records for all town departments and agencies, including Memorial School, in order to determine methods for improvement.

The estimated cost of the review project was \$1,500. As a result, the board agreed to increase said line item from \$8,000 to \$9,500.

The board next received a copy of a recent decision rendered by the Board of Appeals. The decision

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Confirmation of Additional Dividends from MIIA under Workers' Compensation was next received. Rochester's share of said dividend will be \$3,239. The board voted to apply the dividend to the Workers' Compensation budget for fiscal year 1995.

Chief of Communications Scott A. Ashworth submitted a letter regarding the list of companies that will provide towing services to the town as suggested by the Board of Selectmen during the April 19 meeting. Mr.

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Ashworth, in response to a meeting with Police Chief Walter Denham, informed the board of Chief Denham's concerns. During that meeting, the chief said that "Steve's Towing and Duffy's Towing may not meet the criteria for towing ... and Murphy's Auto was in violation of State Ethics laws and can't tow for the Town of Rochester." Mr. Ashworth asked the board to look into this matter.

At this time, Selectman Murphy excused himself from the meeting. In regards to Steve's Towing and Duffy's Towing, the board will request that both companies submit a map indicating a ten-mile radius, the focal point being their company site. The board will also request confirmation of storage facilities for impounded vehicles at the site.

Regarding the matter of Murphy's Auto Salvage being in violation of State Ethics laws as suggested by Chief Denham, the board cited a form which had been filed with the State Ethics Commission classifying Selectman Michael Murphy as a Special Municipal Employee under MGL Chapter 286A, Section 20 (c & d). This Statement Under the Conflict of Interest Law relieves Selectman Murphy of any potential conflict of interest in providing towing services for the town as he does not benefit financially from town coffers. (Auto insurance companies are billed for towing services in the event of an accident.)

At 7:15 pm Selectman Murphy returned to the session and the board met with Jan Bettencourt, a

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representative of the Rochester Little League and Babe Ruth League. Ms. Bettencourt asked the board's permission to conduct their Annual Bike-A-Thon on Sunday, May 22 at 1:00 pm and submitted the proposed bike route. The route would begin at the Little League field and proceed to Mary's Pond Road to Route 105, Mendell Road, Clapp Road, Walnut Plain Road, and then to Mary's Pond Road, returning the bikers back to the

Ms. Bettencourt noted that the bikers will all be observing the state helmet law and also said that, as in the past, the various town departments would be advised of the bike route. The board unanimously voted to grant permission for the Annual Little League Bike-A-Thon.

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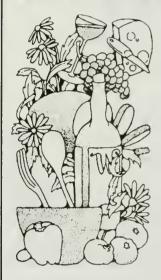
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Superintendent of Schools Joan Walsh submitted a request to the board to dispose of some student desks and a safe at Memorial School. The items were deemed beyond repair and can no longer be used. The board voted to allow disposal of said items at the discretion of the Superintendent.

Under notices for the week, the board was cordially invited to attend the Rochester Post Office Open House which has been postponed to Thursday, April 28 due to the death of former President Richard M. Nixon.

The board then signed and approved an invoice in the amount of \$591.50 from Kopelman and Paige, P.C. for legal services rendered and Chairman Hughes requested that Kopelman and Paige submit a detailed explanation of the fees. The board also approved an Unemployment Compensation invoice in the amount of \$545.

After approving various reappointments for the next fiscal year, the board questioned the reappointment of Officer Bert Gleason and Officer Louis Ouellette. Selectman Murphy wanted to know why two officers were being considered for three-year appointments instead of just one year. Selectman Hawkes said that because the two officers have served the town for five years, a three year reappointment was appropriate. She also noted that this practice was agreed upon in the past by the Board of Selectmen as a way of rewarding those who served for several years.

But Selectman Murphy and Chairman Hughes felt that a one year appointment should be limited to the Police Chief and ranking Lieutenant positions. Chairman Hughes also suggested that a three-year appointment would be a useful bargaining tool in future Police Negotiation Agreements. The two officers were thereby reappointed for a one year term via majority vote of the



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board, with Selectman Hawkes abstaining.

Selectman Hawkes then suggested that the board hold a meeting with all the department heads on Wednesday, May 25 at 7:00 pm. The board unanimously agreed. Chairman Hughes stated that attendance by all department heads was mandatory.

The board then approved four additional articles for placement on the upcoming Annual Town Meeting warrant concerning the Conservation Commission, purchase of a \$3,000 lap-top computer for the Finance Committee, the acceptance of Springwood Drive as a public way, and the allocation of \$1,000 for a survey of Sherman Cemetery.



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Selectman Murphy also suggested the formation of a Building Needs Committee to research and plan uses for the town-owned property on Dexter Lane. Those interested in serving on this committee should submit their names to the Board of Selectmen, c/o Town Hall.

There being no further matters to consider, the board voted to adjourn for the evening at 8:10 pm.

The Wanderer Keel Award

The deadline is fast-approaching to nominate a candidate from your town to be among the first recipients of the "Wanderer Keel Award."

The First Annual "Wanderer Keel Award" — which will be given to one resident from each of the three towns — will be announced in our May 13 issue, and will be the subject of a feature story highlighting their contributions to the local community. But *The Wanderer* would like your help in selecting these individuals.

The requirements are simple. Nominees must be legal residents of Marion, Mattapoisett or Rochester (at least five years), and must have contributed in some way to the overall benefit of the community — either directly to town residents, or indirectly through their efforts in promoting town activities, or working to keep the wheels of local government well-oiled. The only restriction is that these persons cannot personally benefit from their efforts in any way — either financially or politically.

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Please send the name, address and telephone number of recommended nominees, along with a short description of their key contributions over the past year, to: Keel Award, *The Wanderer*, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. Deadline for nominations is Friday, May 6, 1994 at 12:00 noon. Recipients will be contacted by phone on Monday, May 9 prior to publication in the May 13 issue.

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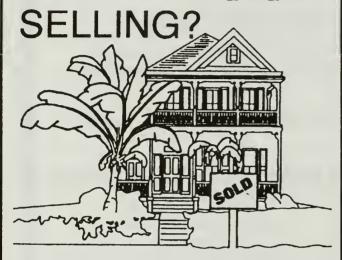
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Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

I wish to clarify a point made in last week's (Volume 3, Number 16) Wanderer article about the Housing Co-op. The article stated that the Co-op was formed "after a failed attempt at a town housing group." The Marion Housing Partnership did not fail. What did fail was one grant application to the Executive Office of Communities and Development for a \$30,000 Municipal Planning Grant in May, 1989. The successful applications in that competition were regional.

The Marion Housing Partnership has been in continuous operation since June of 1988. Shortly after its formation by Selectmen, Marion was designated by EOCD as a Housing Partnership Community. Such a designation protects a community from developers utilizing the

comprehensive permit process.

Additionally, it was the work of the MHP that led to the recently completed elderly housing at Marconi Village, a project that was constructed under terms favorable to Marion, and resulted in over 75 percent of the residents (in a federally-funded project) being local people. Sincerely,

H. Leland Craver, President
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To the Editor:

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necessary in the town of Marion to speak publicly, as I have done, to assure fairness for every town employee. No one — especially no employee — asked me to speak about their worries at the League of Women Voters Candidates' Night, as has been charged by the Chairman of the Marion Board of Selectmen. No employee should be harassed because of my decision to express my own concerns, which I have done after more than a year's deliberation.

In a democracy, freedom can exist only when open discussion is the rule, especially when the rights of people are at risk.

Sincerely, Olive E. Harris *Marion*

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Marion Police Log

The following log excerpts are for the week of April 17 - 23, 1994:

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- Wareham Road protective custody
- Spinnaker Lane family offense
- Main Street family disturbance
- Spring Street adult arrest
- Mill Street vandalism, past
- Wareham Road motor vehicle accident, property damage
- Spring Street family offense.

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The following log excerpts are for the week of April 15 -22, 1994:

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- Alley Road adult arrest
- Randall Road adult arrest
- Walnut Plain Road disturbance
- Marion Road trespassing
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Folks bringing items to the pot luck supper should bring either a main dish, salad, vegetable, or dessert for eight plus your own place settings. Drinks will be provided. Tickets will be on sale at the Church office during the week, and at the door the night of the dance. Ticket prices are \$2 per person, and \$5 for a family of four or more. For more information, call the church office at 758-2671 or 758-9559. Come join your friends and

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The June luncheon will be at L'Auberge and you may sign up at the meeting for your choice of fish or chicken for \$9. Be sure to have your checkbook ready.

Wilderness Lecture in Marion

The Sippican Lands Trust, the Marion Foundation, and Tabor Academy will sponsor a lecture/slide show titled "Wilderness Awareness" by Jon Young on Wednesday, May 3 at 7:15 pm in the Lyndon South Auditorium at Tabor Academy. Admission is FREE.

Jon Young was the first student and protege of America's most acclaimed outdoorsman, Tom Brown, Mr. Brown was a well-known teacher and popular author of "The Tracker" series, who was raised by an Apache scout in the Pine Barrens. After being trained by Brown for years, Young founded his own school: The Wilderness Awareness School. Mr. Young is a dynamic and



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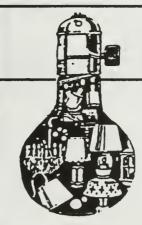
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The presentation will conclude at 8:30 pm, and the public is encouraged to attend. For further information, please contact Joyce West at the Marion Foundation (748-0800).

The Machacam Club

The Machacam Club will hold its next meeting on Wednesday, May 4 at the American Legion Hall on Depot Street in Mattapoisett. The Social Hour will begin at 5:30 pm, with dinner service at 6:00 pm.

Our speaker this month will be Dick Langhoff, a homebrewer since 1980, who will present "Reflections on Homebrewing in Mattapoisett." The presentation will feature an ale product, video segments on hop production, and a typical homebrewing recipe. In addition, a display of supplies and hardware required to enter this exploding



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Tobey Hospital Fashion Show

The Tobey Hospital Guild will sponsor a Luncheon and Fashion Show to benefit Tobey Hospital on Wednesday, May 11. "Focus on Fashion by Howland Place" will be held at the Bay Pointe Country Club in Onset, MA. Carol J. Adams, Executive Secretary to the Town of Mattapoisett, is one of ten ladies who will be modeling select fashions from Howland Place. Tickets are available at the Cashiers Office of Tobey Hospital, or by calling Evelyn Pursley at 758-3329 or Ruth Kelenosy at 295-3858.

School Committee Meetings

The following is a schedule of School Committee meetings for the month of May. All of the meetings listed here will begin at 7:30 pm and will be preceded by a Public Hearing on School Choice.

• Monday, May 9 — Mattapoisett School Committee at Old Hammondtown School.

• Tuesday, May 10 — ORR District School Committee in Dr. Kunces Library of ORR High School.

• Wednesday, May 11 — Marion School Committee at Sippican School.

• Thursday, May 19 — Rochester School Committee at Memorial School.

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be held on Wednesday, May 11 from 1:00 to 3:00 pm and on Wednesday, May 18 from 5:30 to 7:30 pm. Clinics are held at the American Legion Hall on Depot Street and are open to all Mattapoisett residents.

Rochester Resident to Ride for Diabetes

On Sunday, July 10, Jennifer DeMoranville of Rochester will begin a seven-day, 500-mile bicycle tour around New England to benefit the American Diabetes Association. Jen will join cyclists from across the country as they ride from Framingham, MA, up the coast of Maine, through the White Mountains over New Hampshire's Kancamagus Highway, to the Green Mountains of Vermont, back through New Hampshire before returning





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The New England Classic is more than a challenging bicycle tour. Participants will be on the road helping to find a cure for diabetes and its complications. Your support of Jennifer DeMoranville and the American Diabetes Association would be greatly appreciated by the 14 million Americans who suffer this chronic disease.

To pledge a donation or for more information, please write to Jennifer DeMoranville, 428 Walnut Plain Road, Rochester, MA 02770. Please make checks payable to "American Diabetes Association."

Rummage Sale in Marion

The Marion United Methodist Church located at 13 County Road will hold a Rummage Sale on Friday, April 29 from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm and on Saturday, April 30 from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. The sale will include a variety of old, next-to-new, recycled and bargained-priced items.

Adoptable Animals

Spring has arrived ... and so has a multitude of spring time kittens! Animal Umbrella is offering a rainbow collection of kittens, so if you have a specific type in mind to adopt, we probably have one just for you. The main collection of kittens is now available at Tara's (748-2164). Give her a call and she can give you the run down. Right now she has over a dozen to choose from.

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available for adoption if you don't have the energy for a rowdy kitten. Mary Lou (758-9202) has twin brothers — both are black with short hair and are one year old. They've been neutered and have had all their shots. There is also a mother/son duo looking for love. The mother is a one and a half year old who's been spayed with black and white markings. The son is eight months old, neutered, and is white with black. They would like to stay together, but are willing to be adopted separately.

There are also three female adults cats now being offered by Doreen (999-6718). The first a declawed calico, the second an all-grey with short hair and double paws,

and finally a beautiful black and white cat.

Under dog offerings for the week, the Umbrella has two beagles, both females, who are about one and a half years old. A little girl in their house is allergic to them and they have been house pets and need lots of love. If interested, please call Lynn at 758-3565.

Also, a private pet owner is asking for someone to take in their seven-year-old tri-collie. She's very friendly, having grown up in a large family. The owners cannot take her as they are moving into a condominium. If interested,

please call 991-6966.

Reminder: May 1-7 is "Pet Awareness Week" throughout the country. Animal Umbrella will be doing their part to make the community aware of all animals can offer and what many animals face as an alternative to loving adoption. Animal Umbrella will also be holding a large Yard Sale on May 7 at 446 Washington Street in Fairhaven. This location was generously donated by JR's Auto Shop.

The group will also be holding a silent auction and bake sale. If anyone would like to donate items for any of the above sales, please contact one of the Animal Umbrella representatives. Arrangements may also be

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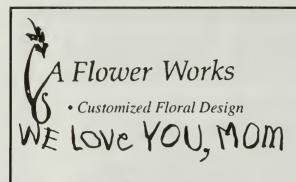
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The Friends of the Elderly

GAMES continue to be held at Village Court every Wednesday from 1:30 to 3:00 pm, unless otherwise noted, and a WORKSHOP will be held every second Tuesday of the month, also starting at 1:30 pm.

The Friends need hand-crafted items for their annual Chinese Auction which will be held at "Homecoming Days" in June. If any talented people can help, please call Rosalie at 758-2887 or Ginny at 758-9722.

The Walking Club continues to meet at St. Anthony's Church parking lot at 11:00 am on Tuesday. Everyone is welcome. Whether you walk or just stroll makes no difference. It's good exercise and a nice way to meet people.

There are still some seats available for the May 30 Memorial Day Red Sox Baseball Game in Boston, beginning at 1:00 pm. The Friends will furnish tickets and



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Board Members, please be reminded that there will be a meeting on May 2 at 3:00 pm.

ORR Coordinator Named to NIAAA

The National Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association (NIAAA) recently announced that Joao Rodrigues, Coordinator for Athletics for ORR High School, has been recognized by this association as a Certified Athletic Administrator.

To earn this distinction, Mr. Rodrigues has demonstrated the highest level of knowledge and expertise in the field of interscholastic athletic administration. The voluntary certification process included a thorough evaluation of the candidate's educational background, experience, and professional contributions, as well as a rigorous and comprehensive written examination.

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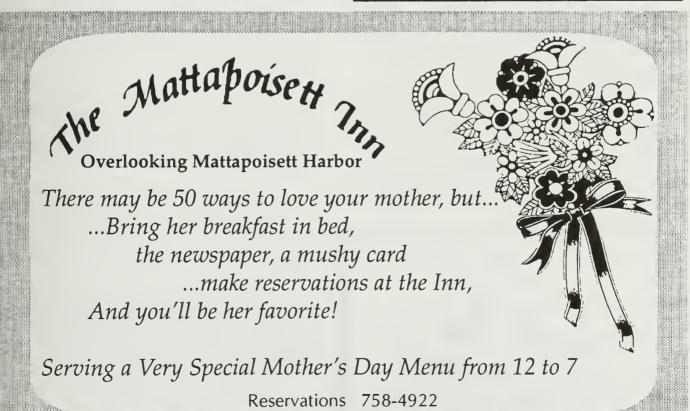
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Mattapoisett Town Clerk

Town Meeting

The Mattapoisett Annual Town Meeting has been changed to Monday, June 6, 1994, with subsequent sessions slated for Thursday, June 9 and Friday, June 10 if articles are still pending consideration. Special voter registration sessions have been set up by Town Clerk Lois K. Ennis as follows:

Tuesday evening (7:00 - 7:30 pm) on May 3, and May 10; Saturday (9:00 am - 5:00 pm) on May 14; and the last day to register will be on Tuesday, May 17 (8:00 am - 10:00 pm).

The special override election will also be held on Tuesday, June 14. Special registration sessions are as follows for the election:

Tuesday evening (7:00 - 7:30 pm) on May 3 and May 10; Tuesday (8:00 am - 10:00 pm) on May 14; Saturday session (9:00 am - 5:00 pm) on May 21; and last day to register will be Tuesday, May 25 from 8:00 am to 10:00 pm.

Student Bakes Bread for Needy

Chris Liszka is a UMass Dartmouth student who cares. Not only does she care — Ms. Liszka wants to make



a difference where she lives.

You can find her two nights a week covered in flour while in the kitchen baking bread. But she's not your ordinary cuisinart cookie maker.

Ms. Liszka collects unused dough which is donated by Pizza Hut in Fairhaven and rolls it, kneads it, lets it rise, bakes it and then delivers the fresh homemade bread to Market Ministries in New Bedford.

This volunteerism by the UMass Dartmouth senior with a dual major of English/Literature and English/Writing came about as a project for her anthropology course.

"Dr. Geraldine Gamburd (her instructor) gave us an assignment to affect the environment or affect our society positively," said the 21-year-old who lives in Fairhaven. "So I decided to bake and supply bread because it served two purposes. The first was in lessening the waste of them throwing out the dough and the other was helping feed people which was the immediate impact."

The concept was originally suggested to Ms. Liszka by Lewis Hammond Stone of Mattapoisett. Mr. Stone got the idea after hearing Noah Hoffenberg (Ms. Liszka's boyfriend and recent UMass Dartmouth graduate) remark that most pizza chains discard their unused dough each night.

But Ms. Liszka thinks the concept is such a good

one, she wants to take it one step further.

"I've written to Peter Cressy, the Chancellor at UMass Dartmouth, and asked that all the UMass system make this an ongoing program," she said. "Not just here in Dartmouth, but throughout the curriculums at all the schools."

She went on to say that public colleges in Massachusetts should get involved to show they care about the world around them. "My parents brought me up to care and help those less fortunate than I am," she said. "And this project fit in perfectly with my school and work schedule."

Dick Moyer, the manager of the Pizza Hut in Fairhaven which donates the dough, supports Ms. Liszka's idea of statewide participation. "It's a terrific idea," he said. "We at Pizza Hut wanted to help, and now, perhaps through Chris' proposal, we'll be able to help a lot more people."

Ms. Liszka decided on this specific way of helping others because all the other ways seemed so out of touch. "Sure, trying to save the rain forest is great and trying to stop pollution is important ... but those things seem so far away. This is real. This is here. This is something I did with my own hands."

"And you know," she said, slapping some butter on a big piece of bread hot out of the oven. "It really tastes pretty good also." Friends Meeting Auction

Historical letters, documents and other paper collectibles — ranging from photographs to postcards — will be sold when the Mattapoisett Friends Meeting (Quaker) holds its Fifth "Strictly Paper" benefit auction on

Saturday, May 7.

Of special interest to collectors in Fairhaven, Mattapoisett, Marion and Rochester will be an 1863 folded letter from New Bedford with a reference to walking to Fort Phoenix and calling on Capt. Allen. "They have over one hundred men there now, but all but about thirty-five or forty will be transferred to Clarks Point fort this week," the letter states.

Lot No. 42 is an 1862 bill of exchange headed Port Louis, Mauritius, for \$361.61 and signed by Capt. Andrew P. Jenney of the Fairhaven whaling bark *Joseph Maxwell*.

Another lot features an illustrated National Bank

of Fairhaven check for \$1,000 dated 1865.

A lot of 28 letters contains correspondence to teacher Eunice Peirce of Rochester from the 1850's from students, relatives, etc., headed variously Randalltown, Squawbetty, North Fairhaven, etc. None of the correspondence has postal markings.

There is also a shoebox of correspondence to Annie Randall of Mattapoisett (about 125 pieces), including covers with 19th century postmarks.

Lot 262 is a booklet titled "Is It Sport or Business for Buzzards Bay Towns?" The booklet contains an argument by Attorney Charles F. Chamberlayne, counsel for Mattapoisett petitioners, for the abolition of weirs, pounds and traps from the bay. It was published in 1892.

Another 1892 pamphlet, "Buzzards Bay Fisheries," includes speeches about the protection of bay fisheries by

former President Grover Cleveland and others.

Lot No. 10 contains five Civil War letters from William Kinney of Mattapoisett, dated 1861-1883, providing nice descriptions of a sailor's life and war action on the Mississippi River and its tributaries. Kinney served on the U.S. gunboat *Benton*.

More than 325 lots will be sold at the auction, beginning at 9:30 am on May 7 in the meeting hall — rear of 103 Marion Road (Route 6) in east Mattapoisett. Viewing is planned from 7:00 to 9:00 pm on Friday, May 6 and 7:00 to 9:30 am immediately preceding the sale. Auctioneer will be Dennis Broadbent of Acushnet.

Previous sales have attracted mail bidders from all over the country and floor bidders from all of the New England states, New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania.

For more information about the sale, ordering a listing of the lots, or consigning papergoods for another sale in the fall, please contact Brad Hathaway at 758-3579.

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Donna Prypin, lead singer and guitarist, teaches voice lessons at the Marion Art Center. Her peppy, upbeat style has endeared her to students and audiences alike. Donna is joined by her husband, Boh Prypin, violinist and vocalist, whose cavalier style belies his classical roots. His fiddle and mandolin will attempt any sound or style.

Joe Scott, guitarist and vocalist, rounds out the trio. Joe has played and sung professionally since high school in rock bands, as classical guitar soloist and in duo with flute and voice. He teaches at Cape Cod

Conservatory and Milton Academy.

The concert will consist of jazz, pop, show tunes and standards in a repertoire that is sure to please everyone. Tickets are \$6.50 for members and students, and \$8 for general admission. Please call 748-1266 to reserve a seat or table. Refreshments will be available. In case of rain or snow, the event will be held in the Art Center theater. Butterfield Scholarship Show

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May 5. Thirteen area high schools have been invited to participate. Graduating seniors planning to pursue further education in the arts are eligible to compete. At the same time, there will be an exhibition of paintings by the senior art majors at UMass Dartmouth in the Cecil Clark Davis Gallery. There will be an opening reception and prize presenation on Friday, April 29, at 6:30 pm. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday from 1:00 to 5:00 pm and on Saturday, April 30 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Patricia White is the show coordinator. Sculpture Exhibition

An exhibition of sculpture by Lori Vaccaro Zamansky opens at the Marion Art Center on Friday, May 6 with a reception to meet the artist from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. "The graceful variations or crescendo of rhythm of the bronze is highlighted by the correctness of proportion and treatment of the Verdi Marble ... with a well resolved and balanced kinetic quality," said juror Jose Buscaglia of Ms. Zamansky's "Best in Show" work at the Concord Art Society in 1985.

This was just one of many accolades bestowed on Ms. Zamansky. She was recently honored by having her work permanently committed to the Museo Del Bozzetti in Italy. She has shown at the Copley Society in Boston, the Federal Reserve Bank in Boston, and the Cultural Assembly of greater Worcester in addition to her international exhibits.

Ms. Zamansky has studied in Italy under Bruno Lucchesi, in Massachusetts at the DeCordova Museum School, the Worcester Art Museum School and Peter Abate Studio, as well as the New York University Studio Workshop with the late Vincent Glinsky. Her sculptural forms are visually intense and bold, reflecting an authentic, internal understanding of line and balance.

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several notable commissions, the most recent of which is the marble showpiece in the lobby of Flexcon's corporate headquarters. She works from her private studio in Worcester during the winter and at her summer studio in Pietrasanta, Italy.

The one-person exhibit will run through May 28. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm, and Saturday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Admission is FREE.

Sippican Choral Award

The Sippican Choral Society is pleased to announce the Thelma K. Ostenfeld Memorial Award for a graduating senior at ORR High School who had demonstrated exceptional contributions to choral music at the school. In addition, the student should intend to pursue his/her music activities after graduation. This award is \$300. The student is required to share a review of his/her choral music activities in a letter to the Sippican Choral Society on the first anniversary of this award. Please contact the guidance department at Old Rochester Regional High School for application details. Deadline for applying is May 1, 1994.

Sippican Seniors

The next monthly meeting of the Sippican Seniors will be held at 1:30 pm on Friday, May 13 at the VFW Pavilion in Marion. A vocal group from Tabor Academy under the leadership of Matt Richards, Music Director, will entertain. Refreshments will be served.

Only members who have paid their 1994 dues will be eligible to attend the annual June picnic. Send your dues to Natalie Sullivan or pay them at the May meeting. Anyone reaching the age of 82 before January 1, 1994 becomes a life member and does not have to pay further dues.

At the April meeting, Gertrude Morss was introduced and welcomed as a new director on the Executive Board and the arrangement on the refreshment table was won by Ann Caldwell.

For more information on Bridge games, call Doris Tortora at 295-2786 or Bob Bunnell at 748-1603. For information on Whist Games, call Natalie Sullivan at 748-1467.

The Executive Board will meet at 9:30 am on Monday, May 9 at the Drop-In Center in Marion.

Senior Luncheon in Mattapoisett

A luncheon is being offered by Center School for Mattapoisett Seniors on Thursday, May 5. A light lunch will be served along with entertainment by the Grade 3 chorus. This luncheon is FREE to all seniors, but we ask that you call the Council on Aging office (758-4110) so that we might have an approximate count.

Transportation will be provided to seniors

needing service. The senior van will bring you to and from the luncheon, which will take place between 1:00 and 2:30 pm on May 5. Please come and enjoy this first annual senior luncheon.

St. Gabriel's Church

Holy Communion will be celebrated at both the 8:00 am Chapel and 10:00 am Church service on Sunday, May 1. This is also the date of the "Walk for Hunger" in Boston, in which our Youth Group led by the Rev. Debbie Paulsen will participate. Our young people look forward again to taking part in and contributing to this charitable event sponsored by Channel 7.

Rummage Sale activities start on Monday, May 2. Workers are asked to start that afternoon. Sorting will continue all week with a light lunch each day, including Friday. The sale itself will be held on Friday, May 6 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm and on Saturday, May 7 from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon. Remaining items are donated to the

Salvation Army.

Well-Child Clinic in Marion

A Well-Child Clinic will be held on Tuesday, May 3 at 9:00 am in the Marion Visiting Nurse Association Offices at Sippican School on Spring Street in Marion. Dr. Charles S. Gleason will give physical exams, immunizations, hemoglobin counts and lead screenings to eligible Marion and Rochester children, newborn to preschool age. Donation is \$5 per child. For more information or to make an appointment, please call 748-1020.

Mattapoisett Historical Museum

If you are among the 45 people who have not picked up a reserved copy of "Mattapoisett and Old Rochester," we would appreciate your doing so soon. If you didn't reserve a copy and would like to purchase one, there is a limited number of copies available at the museum located at 5 Church Street for \$35 per copy. The books may be picked up at the museum on Tuesday - Thursday mornings, between 9:00 am and 12:00 noon, or by calling 758-2844.

It's not too soon to start thinking summer — the Museum and Carriage House will open for its regular summer season on Tuesday, July 5. Summer hours are Tuesday - Saturday, 1:00 - 4:30 pm. If you are interested in being a docent (one who greets and guides museum visitors), please call the museum for further information.

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Natural History Museum

Mr. Gilbert Fernandez of "The Osprey Orchard" will give a multimedia presentation on the history of his work with the ospreys of Westport at the Marion Natural History Museum. The program will be held on Thursday, May 19 at 7:30 pm at the museum, which is located on the second floor of the Elizabeth Taber Library on Spring Street in Marion. Please call 748-2098 for more information.

Rochester Clean-Up Day

Clean-Up Day in the Town of Rochester will be held on this Saturday, April 30. In preparing for this annual event, the goal is to get much of the town litterand junk-free by the end of the day. This year, the organizers of the event — CLEAN, Inc. — thought they would take a different approach to this goal by trying to get the townspeople to call either Donna (763-3375) or Kenny (763-2123) ahead of time to let them know what street they would be cleaning so volunteers who have no preference can be designated to clean the other streets.

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the rain, it might be more convenient to do your road or street in the few days before the official April 30 date, and then call CLEAN, Inc. to make arrangements to pick up the debris and trash you have gathered.

CLEAN, Inc. also wishes to remind everyone to please be careful and not touch any dead animals that you may come across. The Rochester Police Department will be out watching over all of us on April 30. Coffee and donuts will be available at Town Hall from 9:00 am until depleted as well as garbage bags and gloves for the volunteers. The following is a list of what can be brought to Town Hall on Clean-Up Day only and also items which cannot be accepted due to State Regulations:

 ACCEPTABLE (dumpsters will be marked accordingly) — garbage, trash, old broken furniture (not to exceed 4-feet in length), car tires (\$1 per tire), truck tires (\$5 per tire), all metals and steel items, white goods (refrigerators with a \$5 charge to remove refrigerant). NOTE: All propane tanks, gas tanks, motors, and other fuels must be removed before being accepted!

 NOT ACCEPTABLE — yard waste, leaves, branches, pine needles, toxic chemicals, oil, paint, gas, pesticides, old televisions, dead animals. Please do not ask us to take what we cannot by law.

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CLEAN, Inc. would like to thank all those who have and will help with this town-wide endeavor by cleaning the roads, collecting the bags, and donating the equipment and services. Special thanks to: Rochester Police Department, Rochester Town Hall, SEMASS Partnership, American Metals, M & M Scrap Tire Co., Michael Murphy (for use of a truck and driver), Rochester Highway Department (for use of vehicles and manpower), Plumb Corner Market, dedicated volunteers, local press (for printing the information).

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Wareham Garden Club

The next Executive Board meeting of the Wareham Garden Club will be held on Thursday, May 5 at 10:00 am in the Wareham Free Public Library Conference Room. The next regular monthly meeting will be held on Thursday, May 12 at 12:30 pm at the Fellowship Hall of the First Congregational Church in Wareham. The Garden Club's Annual Geranium and Plant Sale will be held on Saturday, May 14 at the Old Methodist Meeting House. Doors will open at 9:00 am.

A Beginners' Flower Arranging course will be offered by Cathy Jones on May 4, 11 and 18 from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon at the Wareham Free Public Library Workroom for a fee of \$25. The course is open to any interested person. Please call Cathy Jones at 748-0257 for reservations and details.

The club is also sponsoring a bus trip to Boston on Thursday, May 19 to attend the Hidden Gardens of Beacon Hill. Cost of the trip is \$21 per person, which includes the \$15 entrance fee and roundtrip bus fare. Please call Phyllis Upham at 759-4050 for reservations.

Mattapoisett Town Clerk

Dogs

Mattapoisett's so-called "pooper scooper" by-law has been approved by the Attorney General's office and is now in effect. Please be reminded that all dogs must also be leashed when off the owner's premises. Licensing

All dogs three months of age and older must be licensed. Please note that a "late fee of \$10.00 per dog" is assessed for dogs not licensed on or before June 1.

Trakas and Parker in Concert

Noted baritone Christopher Trakas and pianist Glenn Parker will perform in concert at 7:30 pm on May 6 in the Parish House of the Unitarian Memorial Church located at 102 Green Street in Fairhaven. The concert is sponsored by the Creative Arts Council of the church.

"We're very excited to be bringing such worldclass artists to perform here in Fairhaven," said Katherine

Ulrich, council co-chairperson.

Mr. Trakas and Dr. Parker will perform a program featuring the works of Mozart, Beethoven, Strauss, Korngold, Ravel, Barber, and Musto. Mr. Trakas is celebrated for the variety of his repertoire and the artistry he brings to performances in opera and on the concert stage. His operatic credits include New York's Metropolitan Opera, the Spoleto Festivals in Italy and the United States, the New York City Opera, and Switzerland's Theatre Basel.

As co-winner of the Walter W. Naumberg Award for Concert Singers, Mr. Trakas made auspicious recital debuts at Alice Tully Hall in New York City, the Kennedy Center's Terrace Theater and Chicago's Ravinia Festival.

In April 1993, *Opera News* praised Mr. Trakas, saying: "The real star of the evening was the Dandini of Christopher Trakas. His warm, focused baritone and fine comic performance — richly detailed yet impeccably controlled — made one wonder why more American companies don't scramble to cast this underrated artist."

Dr. Parker, called "the ideal partner" by *The Washington Post*, has appeared with noted instrumentalists and singers throughout North America and Europe. Frequently performing together in concert, he and Mr. Trakas presented the inaugural recital for Washington, D.C.'s prestigious Vocal Arts Society. In addition to his recital and coaching activities, Dr. Parker teaches piano accompanying and coaching at Westminster Choir College. He is accompanist of the Westminster Choir, artistic director of the Westminster Opera Theater, and music director for the Brattleboro Opera Theater of Vermont.

Tickets for the show are \$10 for the general public, \$8 for senior citizens and students. As space is limited, you can call 992-7081 or 758-4853 to assure a seat at what promises to be a memorable performance.

Skating Club Show

The Skating Club of Southern New England recently announced the lineup of guest skaters who will perform at this year's Ninth Annual Figure Skating Show, "Razzle Dazzle on Ice," which will take place at the ice skating rinks of Taunton, Fall River and New Bedford.

Local skaters will include 16-year-old Stacy Anusczyk of Rochester, a student at ORR High School; 8-



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year-old Mary Duryea, the daughter of John and Helen Duryea of Rochester and a student at Memorial School; 7-year-old Sarah Richards, also of Rochester; 14-year-old Katie Donovan, the daughter of Michael and Patricia Donovan of Rochester and a student at ORR Junior High School; and 8-year-old Kimberly Wall of Mattapoisett, a student at Center School.

Because of this year's fantastic lineup of guest skaters, large crowds are expected at all performances of this ice extravaganza. Showtimes for "Razzle Dazzle on Ice" are Friday, April 29 at 7:00 pm at the Aleixo Rink in Taunton; Saturday, April 30 at 7:00 pm at the Driscoll Rink in Fall River; and Sunday, May 1 at 2:00 pm at the Hetland Rink in New Bedford. Advance ticket sales will be



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Mattapoisett Council on Aging

Wellness Wednesday

The public is invited to Wellness Wednesday being held at the Congregational Church on May 4 and sponsored by Coastline Elderly Services and the Mattapoisett COA. A team of health care providers will include a pharmacist, nurse, nutritionist, psychiatrist, nurse/clinician, a SHINE counselor, and a COA representative. Please come between the hours of 12:30 and 3:30 pm. All are welcome. The clinician team are representatives from St. Luke's Hospital. *Independence Mall*

The senior van will be going to the Independence Mall in Plymouth on May 12. The van will leave Village Court at 9:15 am and St. Anthony's parking lot at 9:30 am. Please call the COA office at 758-4110 if you are interested in attending.

Daffodils

Daffodils are now blooming in our spring gardens. If you have an abundance and wish to donate some to the shut-ins of Mattapoisett, please leave them at the COA office in the Town Hall, or call and someone will pick them up from you. The COA office will accept flowers Monday - Thursday, 9:00 am - 12:00 noon. The daffodils will then be delivered by our young volunteers, along with cards made at Center School, to Mattapoisett residents who are shut-in.

Marion Council on Aging

Shine Counselor

The Marion COA welcomes Margaret Reed as our new SHINE Counselor. A SHINE Counselor is a volunteer



who has been trained in answering questions and problems related to health benefits for the elderly. If you are in need of information about health insurance coverage, SSI, Blue Cross, Medicare, and the like, call the COA office (748-3570) for an appointment. Ms. Reed will be available on Wednesday from 1:00 to 4:00 pm at the Marion Town House.

Screening Clinic in Mattapoisett

The ORR School District will be offering a screening clinic on Friday, April 29 at Center School in Mattapoisett. Children ages three and four residing in Marion, Mattapoisett, or Rochester are eligible for appointments. The purpose of the screening is to identify young children with potential learning problems.

The screening will look at the child's thinking skills, speech and language development, memory skills, coordination, hearing and vision. It is conducted by Project GROW staff in the preschool classroom. If you suspect your child is having difficulty in any of these areas, or simply wonder if his/her development is "on target," call 748-0100 for an appointment. Screening clinics are offered regularly throughout the school year. Locations rotate among the three towns.

Memorial School Registration

During the week of May 9, the Rochester Memorial School will be registering those children for Kindergarten who reside in Rochester and were born during 1989. The registration hours will be between 9:00 and 11:00 am at the school. Parents will be able to register their child on the following days:

Last names beginning with A-C on Monday, May 9; last names beginning with D-H on Tuesday, May 10; last names beginning with I-M on Wednesday, May 11; last names beginning with N-S on Thursday, May 12; and last names beginning with T-Z on Friday, May 13.

The parents need to bring a birth certificate, verification of home address, record of immunization, record of lead screening results, and a physician's examination is required within six months prior to the entrance date.

Parents should also bring their child to the registration, as vision and hearing screenings will be conducted at that time.

Mattapoisett Senior Touring Club

On May 15-17, the Seniors will be taking a three-day tour of New York State. West Point museum tour, cruise, dinner theater, outlet shopping, Ellis Island and Statue of Liberty. Five meals are included. Cost is \$289 per person.

On July 25 -27, visit Kelly's in the Pennsylvania Poconos with the Mattapoisett Senior Touring Club.

Sightseeing tours, country/western festival, entertainment each evening. Five meals are included with the trip, which costs \$249 per person.

On July 30, the group will take a narrated Luncheon Cruise of Boston Harbor on the "Odyssey" with entertainment. The trip costs \$40 per person, which includes shopping time at Quincy Market.

On September 9 -19, the group will embark on a ten-day motorcoach trip to Branson, Missouri for sightseeing and shows. The cost of the trip is \$949, double

occupancy.

On October 6 - 8, the club is off to Bolton Valley, VT with accommodations located right on the mountain for prime fall foliage viewing. Cruise, tours, shopping, delicious meals, nightly entertainment. The trip costs \$249 per person.

On November 1, the group will travel to the North Shore Music Theater for a matinee show featuring the stars of the "Lawrence Welk Show." Lunch will be served at the Davenport Yacht Club. Cost is \$51 per person.

For further information on any of these trips, please call Rosalie at 758-2887 or Florence at 758-2972.

St. Anthony's Parish

Mass Schedule

Saturday, 4:30 pm; Sunday, 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 am; Daily, 8:00 am.

Woman's Club Scholarships

The Mattapoisett Woman's Club will once again be awarding four \$1,000 scholarships this year. Three are available to High School Seniors who must be residents of Mattapoisett or the children of a Mattapoisett Woman's Club member. The fourth scholarship is being offered to a high school graduate who is re-entering a post-secondary education program after a significant period of interruption.

High school senior applications are available at the Guidance Departments of ORR High School, Old Colony Regional Voke, Tabor Academy, and Bishop Stang

High School.

The re-entry applicant may contact Ms. Ruth Johnston at 758-6718 for further information. The scholarships will be awarded after evidence of the successful completion of the first semester.

Mattapoisett Woman Joins CBB

Geraldine (Jeri) Peirce was recently appointed Membership Director of the Coalition for Buzzards Bay (CBB). Presently on a three-fifths basis, she is expected to become a full-time staff member as the Coalition's membership grows. Currently, the Coalition has approximately 2,000 members, including 76 businesses and 57 organizations, each of which count as one member,

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and 1882 individuals.

Thanks to a grant from a foundation that wishes to remain anonymous, Ms. Peirce began her membership development work in March, coordinating the outreach efforts that include appearances at events around the Bay, a speaker's bureau, and increasing the Coalition's

visibility in general.

A Mattapoisett resident, Ms. Peirce brings with her personal knowledge of Buzzards Bay, having been an avid fisherman here for twenty years and being the daughter of New Bedford/Fairhaven fishing fleet owner Maynard Lammi. "I've been increasingly concerned about the future of Buzzards Bay and the need to involve all its citizens in clean up efforts and lasting protection," she said. "This is where membership in the Coalition is a natural, logical step for people to take."

Annual VFW Banquet

The Annual Banquet of the Benjamin D. Cushing Post 2425 VFW and the Ladies Auxiliary will be held on Saturday, April 30. Each year, the Albert E. Davidson Jr. Humanitarian Award is presented by the Chaplain to either post members or members of the community for their community service. Dr. Davis Gallison will be an honoree this year for his exemplary service to the community.

The banquet will be held at 7:00 pm in the VFW Pavilion on Route 6 in Marion. Tickets are \$15 and are limited. We look forward to seeing everyone at the event and hope they will join us in our recognition of Dr. Gallison.

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ROCHESTER BOARD OF APPEALS

Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Board of Appeals will conduct a Public Hearing on the petition of Shelly Ann Vishinho, 35 Kings Highway, who is appealing the decision of the Building Inspector concerning Todesca Equipment, King's Highway, under Section X.A. of the Protective By-laws. Hearing will be conducted on Thursday, May 12, 1994 at 8:00 pm in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall.

Richard D. Cutler, Chairman 04/29,05/06

MATTAPOISETT PUBLIC SCHOOLS Mattapoisett, Massachusetts LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

Pursuant to Section 23A, Chapter 39, General Laws, you are notified that there will be a PUBLIC HEARING of the Mattapoisett School Committee regarding School Choice at 7:30 pm, on Monday, May 9, 1994, at the Old Hammondtown School, Shaw Street, Mattapoisett, MA. 04/29

ROCHESTER PUBLIC SCHOOLS Rochester Massachusetts

Rochester, Massachusetts LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

Pursuant to Section 23A, Chapter 39, General Laws, you are notified that there will be a PUBLIC HEARING of the Rochester School Committee regarding School Choice at 7:30 pm, on Thursday, May 19, 1994, at the Rochester Memorial School, 16 Pine Street, Rochester, MA. 04/29

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT Marion, Mattapoisett, Rochester, Massachusetts LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

Pursuant to Section 23A, Chapter 39, General Laws, you are notified that there will be a PUBLIC HEARING of the Old Rochester Regional District School Committee regarding School Choice at 7:30 pm, on Tuesday, May 10, 1994, in the Dr. Joseph C. Kunces Memorial Library, Old Rochester Regional High School, 135 Marion Road, Mattapoisett, MA. 04/29

MARION PUBLIC SCHOOLS Marion, Massachusetts LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

Pursuant to Section 23A, Chapter 39, General Laws, you are notified that there will be a PUBLIC HEARING of the Marion School Committee regarding School Choice at 7:30 pm, on Wednesday, May 11, 1994, at the Sippican School, Spring Street, Marion, MA. 04/29

Scholarship Applications Available

The Sippican Woman's Club once again is offering scholarships to high school seniors attending ORR High School, Tabor Academy, and Bishop Stang. Applications are available in the guidance offices of each school.

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Awards will be given for the second semester of the students' Freshman year. College students continuing their education should call Jane Marso at 748-0306 for an application. The monies raised for these scholarships come from the club's only fundraiser — house tours of "Christmas Around Handy's Tavern." This event is generously supported by residents and businesses in and around Marion.

President Commends AFS

In a letter from the White House, President Bill Clinton commended the families who host American Field Service (AFS) high school exchange students and teachers in Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester and across the country. The letter was prompted by the annual AFS celebration of Host Family Recognition Week, which took place from March 6 - 12. This year, Michelle and Jon Pope are hosting an AFS student in Mattapoisett.

In the letter, President Clinton explained the value of the hosting experience and why the White House extended the commendation: "AFS-sponsored programs provide an invaluable medium for fostering friendship and understanding between citizens of the world — a relationship essential to creating worldwide peace and prosperity in the twenty-first century."

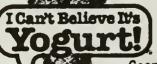
The White House letter not only commended the families who host, but also urged continued support and

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participation. Says President Clinton, "Host families have a critical role to play in this exchange, furnishing a home away from home for students in a culture different from their own ... I urge each of you to continue this vital tradition, helping people around the world to gain a greater understanding of the experiences that make us unique and the dreams we share in common."

Those interested in hosting an AFS student should contact either Richard Ellis or Claire Flynn at ORR High School (758-3745), or call 1-800-876-2377 to receive more information about the AFS hosting experience.

St. Jude's Bike-A-Thon

St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital announced that Amy Rose has agreed to be the coordinator of the St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital Bike-a-thon in Mattapoisett on May 14.

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital was founded by entertainer Danny Thomas. The institution opened its doors to the public in 1962 to combat catastrophic diseases which afflict our children. St. Jude's Hospital is a non-sectarian, non-discriminatory institution which covers all costs of care beyond those reimbursed by insurance.

The Bike-a-thon program this year is dedicated to seven-year-old Shauna Richters. Shauna was diagnosed with Wilms' tumor, a malignant growth on her left kidney, in December 1990. Surgery successfully removed the tumor, and Shauna returns to St. Jude's Hospital about every six months for check-ups.

She celebrated her last chemotherapy treatment with a present she eagerly looked forward to: a new bike. Shauna is a living example of the successful research,



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LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held on Tuesday, May 3, 1994, 7:30 pm, in the Selectmen's Office, Town Hall, 16 Main Street, upon the application of Antonio and Idalina Martinho, 12 Laura Lane, Fairhaven, MA. The Martinho's are applying for an All Alcoholic Beverage Restaurant License at 143 Fairhaven Road, Mattapoisett, MA. Board of Selectmen John N. DeCosta, Chairman Daniel O. Mahoney, Clerk

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LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT BOARD OF HEALTH NOTICE

The Mattapoisett Board of Health will end the season for the establishing of water tables in relation to percolation tests on Friday, May 13, 1994.

Dale Barrows, Agent

04/29

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION WATERWAYS REGULATION PROGRAM

Notice of License Application pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 91 Waterways License Application No. W93-1847 Henderson & Joan Inches

Notification Date: April 28, 1994

Public Notice is hereby given of the application by Henderson & Joan Inches to maintain an existing stone filled wharf, ramp and float at 12 Ned's Point Road within an Ocean Sanctuary in the Municipality of Mattapoisett in and over the waters of Mattapoisett Harbor. The proposed use of the structure(s) is to provide noncommercial docking and boating access to navigable waters and is

a water-dependent use project.

The Department will consider all written comments submitted thirty (30) days subsequent to the "Notification Date" in order to decide whether to grant authorization for the proposed activity pursuant to G.L. Chapter 91. A public hearing may be held upon request by the Municipal Official. Furthermore, a municipality, ten citizen group or any aggrieved person that has submitted written comments may also petition to intervene to become a party before the close of the comment period. Failure to submit such petition will result in the waiver of any right to an adjudicatory hearing. Further information regarding this application may be obtained by contacting the Division at (617) 292-5695. Plans and documents for this application are on file with the Department for public viewing, by appointment only, at the address below. Written comments must be submitted to: John A Simpson, Program Chief, DEP/Waterways. Regulation Program, One Winter Street, 8th Floor, Boston, MA 02108. 04/29

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION WATERWAYS REGULATION PROGRAM

Notice of License Application pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 91 Waterways License Application No. W93-2012 Edward J. & Mary K. Hartnett

Notification Date: May 5, 1994

Public Notice is hereby given of the application by Edward J. & Mary K. Hartnett to construct and maintain a pile supported timber pier, ramp and float at 43 Mattapoisett Neck Road in the Municipality of Mattapoisett in and over the waters of the Mattapoisett Harbor. The proposed use of the structure(s) and/or fill is to provide noncommercial docking and boating access to navigable waters and is

a water-dependent use project.

The Department will consider all written comments submitted thirty (30) days subsequent to the "Notification Date" in order to decide whether to grant authorization for the proposed activity pursuant to G.L. Chapter 91. A public hearing may be held upon request by the Municipal Official. Furthermore, a municipality, ten citizen group or any aggrieved person that has submitted written comments may also petition to intervene to become a party before the close of the comment period. Failure to submit such petition will result in the waiver of any right to an adjudicatory hearing. Further information regarding this application may be obtained by contacting the Division at (617) 292-5695. Plans and documents for this application are on file with the Department for public viewing, by appointment only, at the address below. Written comments must be submitted to: John A. Simpson, Program Chief, DEP/Waterways Regulation Program, One Winter Street, 8th Floor, Boston, MA 02108. 04/29

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Old Colony Regional Voke

Enrollment Still Open

Applications are still being accepted for the September 1994 freshman class at Old Colony. Any eighth grade students whose parents are legal residents of Acushnet, Carver, Lakeville, Mattapoisett or Rochester are eligible to apply. Eighth graders from Freetown are also accepted on a space-available basis. Applications are available in the guidance offices of area middle and junior high schools or directly from Old Colony. For further information, please call Janice Grandfield at 763-8011, extension 28.

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The meetings will begin with a dinner prepared and served by the Culinary Arts department at Old Colony, followed by the recognition of Old Colony's "Excellence in Effort" award winners. The various committees will then meet in their respective shops with Old Colony instructors. For further information, please call 763-8011.

Marion Walking Club

The Marion Walking Club has begun its spring schedule this month. The new walking hours will be Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 3:00 to 4:00 pm. Walkers will meet in front of Sippican School on Spring Street. Everyone is welcome to join in!

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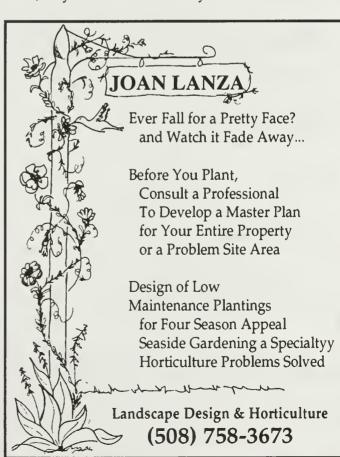
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Regional Lunch Menus for April 29 through May 6

Coastline Elderly Nutrition

- Friday, April 29 Fish Portuguese Style, Parsley, Potatoes, Winter Blend Vegetable, Branola Bread, Fresh Fruit.
- Monday, May 2 Hot Turkey Sandwich with Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, California Blend Vegetables, Cranberry Sauce, Mandarin Oranges.
- Tuesday, May 3 Bavarian Lentil Soup with Crackers, Hamburger with Lettuce, Tomato, Ketchup, Macaroni Salad, Pineapple Tidbits.
- Wednesday, May 4 Baked Chicken Breast, Del Monico Potatoes, Broccoli Cuts, Honey Wheat Bread, Gingerbread with Topping.
- Thursday, May 5 Top Round of Beef with Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Peas and Carrots, Rye Bread. Fresh Fruit.
- Friday, May 6 Baked Fish with Lemon, Baked Potatoes, Bavarian Blend Vegetables, Oat Bran Bread, Chocolate Pudding with Topping.

Milk is served with all meals. Menu subject to change.

For reservations or cancellations, call 991-6264.

Center School

• Friday, April 29 — Pizza, soup, salad, dessert, milk.

Peanut butter and jelly is offered as an alternate every day.

Old Hammondtown School

• Friday, April 29 — Pizza, soup, salad, dessert, milk.

Peanut butter and jelly is offered as an alternate every day.

Memorial School

• Friday, April 29— Pizza, soup, salad, dessert, milk.

Peanut butter and jelly is offered as an alternate every day.

Sippican School

• Friday, April 29 — Pizza, soup, salad, dessert, milk.

Peanut butter and jelly is offered as an alternate every day.

ORR Junior High School

- Friday, April 29 Linguiça patty, or BBQribs, macaroni salad, pickles, dessert, juice or milk.
- Monday, May 2 Soup, spaghetti, or chicken patty, garlic bread, green beans, dessert, juice or milk.
- Tuesday, May 3 Chicken fillet, or Steak'Ums, lettuce, tomato, chips, pickles, dessert, juice or milk.
- Wednesday, May 4 Soup, sloppy Joe, or chicken fritters, broccoli, garlic bread, dessert, juice or milk.
- Thursday, May 5 Shepherd's pie, or ham and cheese croissants, applesauce, roll, dessert, juice or milk.
- Friday, May 6 HALF DAY: French toast sticks, homefries, sausage, fruit, juice or milk.

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- Friday, May 6 HALF DAY: French toast sticks, homefries, sausage, fruit, juice or milk.

Old Colony Regional Voke

- Friday, April 29 Fishwich, or grilled cheese sandwich, potato puffs, pickled beets, apples, assorted dessert.
- Monday, May 2 Steak'Ums and cheese, potato puffs, broccoli, sliced pears.
- Tuesday, May 3 Orange juice, fried chicken, potato salad, sliced carrots, chocolate chip cookies.
- Wednesday, May 4 Chicken rice soup, bacon burger, spicy fries, green beans, frosted cake.
- Thursday, May 5 Fruit juice, spaghetti with meat sauce, rolls, tossed salad, assorted dessert.
- Friday, May 6 Pepperoni pizza, potato patties, corn, fresh fruit, oatmeal cookies.

Cold cut sandwiches available as alternate each day.

Upper Cape Cod Regional Voke

- Friday, April 29 Pizza with assorted toppings, homemade hash browns, tossed salad, yellow cake with chocolate frosting, milk.
- Monday, May 2 Hamburger or cheeseburger, French fries, tossed salad, fruit, milk.
- Tuesday, May 3 Rotini with meat sauce, garlic sticks, tossed salad, fruit. milk.
- Wednesday, May 4 Oven fried chicken, mashed potato with gravy, buttered bread, fruit crisp, milk.
- Thursday, May 5 Baked potato with assorted toppings, garlic sticks, tossed salad, fruit, milk.
- Friday, May 6— Pizza, pasta salad, tossed salad, fruit, milk.

Assorted sandwiches and potato chips served as an alternate every day.

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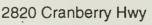
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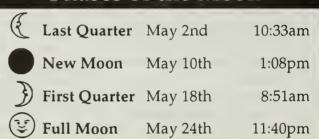


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Sunrise and Sunset

Date	Day of Week	Rises a.m.	Sets p.m.	Length of Day h.:m.
April 29:	Fri.	5:42	7:41	13:59
April 30:	Sat.	5:41	7:42	14:01
May 1:	Sun.	5:40	7:44	14:04
May 2:	Mon.	5:38	7:45	14:07
May 3:	Tues.	5:37	7:46	14:09
May 4:	Wed.	5:36	7:47	14:11
May 5:	Thur.	5:34	7:48	14:14
May 6:	Fri.	5:33	7:49	14:16
May 7:	Sat.	5:32	7:50	14:18
May 8:	Sun.	5:31	7:51	14:20

Phases of the Moon



Upcoming Astronomical Events

Meteor Shower

On May 4th the Eta Aquarid meteor shower will best be visible in the Southeast sky at 4 am. At this time the rate of meteors will be about 10-40 per hour.

Local Tides

		High		Low	
Date	Day	a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
April 29:	Fri.	11:35	11:59	5:05	5:09
April 30:	Sat.		12:31	6:00	6:07
May 1:	Sun.	12:56	1:31	6:59	7:15
May 2:	Mon.	1:56	2:31	8:06	8:39
May 3:	Tues.	2:57	3:30	9:19	10:08
May 4:	Wed.	3:55	4:26	10:24	11:15
May 5:	Thur.	4:49	5:16	11:13	
May 6:	Fri.	5:39	5:62	12:05	12:00
May 7:	Sat.	6:24	6:45	12:43	12:20
May 8:	Sun.	7:07	7:26	1:09	12:50



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